



# RYE RECREATION

*Creating community through people, parks and programs*

## SPRING SUMMER 2005



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MONDAY, MARCH 7  
9:00 A.M.**



# ***THE EXPERIENCE OF A LIFETIME***



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Department of Recreation  
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Superintendent  
WILLIAM T. RODRIGUEZ

Dear Rye Residents and Families,

Spring is here and it's time to make Rye Recreation part of your springtime plans. Over the past year we have focused ourselves around one vision, "Creating Community Through Parks, People and Programs." At Rye Recreation there is something for everyone.

We look forward with great anticipation to launch our first full season on the new fields at Disbrow Park and Rye Nursery. Without solid community support from our user groups, neighbors, parents, citizens and City leadership, this could not have been accomplished. Continued communication and collaboration at that level can make our parks and playgrounds even better.

We also look forward to opening our dedicated skateboard park later this year. Look for announcements and details as we draw closer. Thanks to Joanne O'Malley and our Skateboard Park Committee for their volunteerism and hard work in leading this project to success.

Camp and tennis registration time is here and both programs continue to grow in their popularity and expand in our offerings. Enrollment in our Day Camp was up 10% last year, and parent and camper satisfaction rated very high in a user survey covering the quality of programs, counselors, and overall value.

Finally, I would like to welcome Esther Martensen as a new member of the Recreation Commission. Esther has been active most recently in our senior program, which has grown to nearly 500 members, and brings a wealth of community and athletic experience to our commission.

Best wishes for a fun and active spring season,

Douglas French  
Recreation Commission Chair

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# GIFT CATALOG PARTNERSHIP IN RYE

The Rye Recreation Gift Catalogue has been developed to provide the opportunity for all those who live or work in the City of Rye to contribute towards the efforts of Rye Recreation. This can be accomplished by selecting one or more of the suggested items in the Gift Catalogue that best expresses your interests. To receive a brochure or if you have a gift in mind, please contact Rye Recreation at **967-2535**.

## Category

## Item

### Friend

Donations were made by the following families: Bala, Brown, Curtin, Dailey, Delane, Hammel, Hein, Iwai, Keller, Krieger, Kligerman, Luci, McGinty, Osada, Stearns, Stevenson, , Takei, Toyama, Turner, Weakley, Woort-Menker

**Youth Athletics:** Longfords' Ice Cream, Anaconda Sports

**Holiday Egg Hunt:** Ladies Auxiliary of the Rye Fire Department, Rye Fire Department



## First Week Celebration, Thank You...

**PARTNERS:** Rye Recreation; Rye Historical Society; Rye YMCA, Rye Art Center, Little Language League, Marshlands Conservancy; Edith Read, Rye Fire Department RCTV, Rye Free Reading Room, Kids' S.P.A.C.E., Wainwright House

**SPONSORS:** Rye Country Day School, Mad Science of Westchester, Janet Muller, Longford's Ice Cream, Westchester County PRC, Burns Family, Home Town Newspapers/Sound Shore Review

# CITY OF RYE PHONE DIRECTORY

Emergency number: 911

City of Rye Website: [www.ryeny.gov](http://www.ryeny.gov)

Recreation . . . . .	967-2535	Planning . . . . .	967-7167
Recreation Hot Line . . . . .	390-1379	Police . . . . .	967-1234
Golf Club - office . . . . .	835-3205	Fire - emergency . . . . .	967-3457
Golf Club - pool . . . . .	835-3200	Fire - non emergency . . . . .	967-4530
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City Manager . . . . .	967-7404	Finance . . . . .	967-7303
Engineer . . . . .	967-7676	Public Works . . . . .	967-7464



# FACILITIES

## WE HAVE A PLACE FOR YOU

### *Social Gatherings*

Need a place for a christening or retirement party? Rye Recreation's big room is an ideal location. Fee includes room use for up to 4 hours and use of the kitchen facility. Call for availability and fees. Some restrictions apply.

### *Meeting Rooms*

Let one of the Rye Recreation facilities be the site of your next business meeting. Rooms at the Damiano Recreation Center are available to rent on weekly, bi-weekly or monthly use. All facility rentals include the set-up of tables and chairs, trash receptacles and custodial services.

### *Picnics*

The Rye Recreation Department invites you to have your family, company or organization's picnic at Recreation Park. Picnic grounds are available from May through September. They provide the perfect setting for your function. Call to book your date. Your reservation will be held for 2-weeks, at which time a 50% deposit must be received to confirm your reservation. Fees are available upon request and are based on the number of people in your party. Picnic facilities can accommodate 20-150 people. Softball fields may be secured on select days for an additional fee of \$130 for 2 hours (subject to change).

### *Birthday Partys*

Have your child's birthday party at Rye Recreation. Fee includes room use for up to 2 hours and use of the kitchen facility. Space is available through April 30 on most Saturdays between 2:00 - 5:00 p.m.; Sundays between 1:00 - 5:00 p.m. and select weekdays between 1:00 - 5:00 p.m. Fee: \$150 resident; \$300 non-resident.

**FOR INFORMATION ON SECURING  
A RENTAL, CONTACT:  
KATHY  
914-967-2703 or  
recreation@ryeny.gov**

**\*\* Please note that all fees are subject  
to change.**



# PARKS & REMARKS

## CREATING COMMUNITY THROUGH PEOPLE, PARKS & PROGRAMS

### SAFETY TIPS FROM THE CITY OF RYE POLICE DEPARTMENT

#### KNOWING MY 8 RULES FOR SAFETY

During the past few months, a number of incidents were reported throughout Westchester County that involved attempts to lure children into vehicles. We can't isolate our children, but it is important that parents teach them some basic safety precautions that will help them stay safe.

Talk to your children about "Knowing the 8 rules of Safety" (reprinted from National Center for Missing & Exploited Children):

1. I always check first with my parents or the person in charge before I go anywhere or get into a car, even with someone I know.
2. I always check first with my parents or a trusted adult before I accept anything from anyone, even from someone I know.
3. I always take a friend with me when I go places or play outside.
4. I know my name, address, telephone number, and my parents' names.
5. I say NO if someone tries to touch me or treat me in a way that makes me feel scared, uncomfortable, or confused.
6. I know that I can tell my parents or a trusted adult if I feel scared, uncomfortable, or confused.
7. It's OK to say no, and I know that there will always be someone who can help me.
8. I am strong, smart, and have the right to be safe.

**Call 911 immediately regarding any suspicious behavior.**

### CHILD SAFETY ON THE INFORMATION HIGHWAY

Parents, Set reasonable rules and guidelines for computer use by your children.

#### My Rules for Online Safety

- o I will not give out personal information such as my address, telephone number, parents' work address/telephone number, or the name and location of my school without my parents' permission. I will not give out my Internet password(s) to anyone, even my best friends, other than my parents.
- o I will tell my parents right away if I come across any information that makes me feel uncomfortable.
- o I will never agree to get together with someone I "meet" online without first checking with my parents. If my parents agree to the meeting, I will be sure that it is in a public place and bring my mother or father along.
- o I will never send a person my picture or anything else without first checking with my parents.
- o I will not respond to any messages that are mean or in any way make me feel uncomfortable. It is not my fault if I get a message like that. If I do I will tell a trusted adult right away so that they can contact the online service.
- o I will talk with my parents so that we can set up rules for going online. We will decide upon the time of day that I can be online, the length of time I can be online, and appropriate areas for me to visit. I will not access other areas or break these rules without their permission.
- o I will practice good "netiquette" and not do anything that hurts other people or is against the law.

**For additional information, check out [www.ncmec.org](http://www.ncmec.org)**

### RYE RECREATION'S

#### Description of Services:

Rye Recreation is recognized for its distinctive approach to providing high quality programs, special events, activities and facilities to all people of all ages. The operation includes the Damiano Center and McDonald Building, four parks and nine athletic fields, twelve tennis courts (six with lights), three picnic shelters and grounds, four playgrounds, a multi-purpose area with lights, numerous basketball courts and passive green space round out the operation. These facilities meet the needs of the community and school district athletic programs.

The department has a workforce of 8 full-time employees that include 4 professional staff, three-park maintenance crew and one clerical person. They are supplemented by key part-time and seasonal hires, which have proven to be a vital and important service as it provides first time job experience for many of Rye's teens.

### GREAT LINKS

Major League Baseball Kids Club  
<http://mlb.mlb.com/NASApp/mlb/mlb/kids/index.jsp>

### GREAT PUBLICATIONS

From the Bleachers With Love: Advice to Parents With Kids in Sports, by David Canning Epperson, Ph.D. and George A. Selleck, Ph.D., Alliance Publications, 1999

Beyond the Bleachers: The Art of Parenting Today's Athletes, by David Canning Epperson, Ph.D. and George A. Selleck, Ph.D., Alliance Publications, 1999

## CURRENT & UPCOMING PROJECTS

Rye Recreation Department has a number of Capital Projects that will be taking shape during this year. In addition to projects previously funded, new projects that were approved for funding in 2005 are: Asphalt surface of the tennis court parking lot at Rye Recreation Park, full resurfacing to the tennis courts at Disbrow Park and renovations to Sterling Field in Disbrow Park.

### Playground Improvements:

Playgrounds at Rye Recreation Park near the Lower Picnic Shelter and Feeley Field at Disbrow Park are scheduled for renovation and replacement. Both projects were put on hold awaiting the outcome and completion of nearby park construction that would impact final plans for the play areas.

**Damiano Center Expansion:** A revised plan has been authorized for design.

### TOP 5 SIGNS THAT FIELDS ARE UNSAFE TO PLAY

1. Signage at field saying – "FIELD CLOSED"
2. Fields have standing puddles
3. Ground is waterlogged and squishy
4. Footing is unsure or slippery
5. Lightning or Severe Weather storms in progress

*Help keep our fields in good condition – don't play on fields that are "CLOSED" or during inclement weather.*

## ANSWERS TO COMMON MISCONCEPTIONS AND SOME INTERESTING FACTS:

Rye Recreation DOES NOT sponsor the following youth programs: youth soccer (travel or intramurals) or youth baseball/softball programs (Little League/Babe Ruth, Rye Girls Sports or Rye Youth Lacrosse). Each league has it's own Board of Directors, volunteers etc. Rye Recreation acts as a liaison to each league, which includes allocation of appropriate field space. For information on the sport leagues above contact:

<b>Youth Soccer</b>	
Frank Adimari	967-5273
<b>Little League</b>	
Brian Dempsey	921-8488
<b>Babe Ruth</b>	
Bart DiNardo	967-2945
Ken McGloin	921-2887
<b>Rye Girls Sports</b>	
Bobbi Billington	967-8665
<b>Rye Youth Lacrosse</b>	
David Greenhouse	212-207-6501

### PARK MAINTENANCE:

*The Rye Recreation Parks crew is responsible for maintaining all City owned playing fields and playgrounds at Disbrow Park, Gagliardo Park and Recreation Park and buildings at Gagliardo and Recreation Park. Routine maintenance includes mowing, trimming, trash collection, restrooms, ball field grooming, turf maintenance, playground inspection, building maintenance, cleaning/maintenance of picnic shelters and much more. It is hard to keep up with all the work, so, if you see something that needs attention, please contact us.*

## TO RESERVE A BALL FIELD OR PICNIC PAVILION

Permit application for all ball fields and picnic facilities are available at the Rye Recreation Department offices. This is required for all school fields and recreation/city owned fields and picnic shelters.

Contact Rye Recreation (914) 967-2535; for field availability and fees - Kevin Cook, for picnic facilities - Kathy Napolitano.

## Please Respect Your Property:

Parks belong to you the resident! It's just like your very own back yard. Please take a moment to teach your children respect for public property. Remind them to pick-up after themselves, use trash containers and to leave trees and flowers alone for all to enjoy!



Is it easier for you to receive recreation updates at your desk any time of the day or night? The Rye Recreation Department now has a service to deliver "Rye Rec eNews" right to your email box. Get the latest Rye Rec news immediately and electronically.

To take advantage of this service, please log onto the Rye Recreation's website: [www.ryeny.gov/recreation.htm](http://www.ryeny.gov/recreation.htm), click on the eNews icon and complete the information requested. If you ever wish to discontinue service, please fill in your email address and click "UNSUBSCRIBE".

NOTE: You will need Adobe Acrobat Reader installed on your computer to view many of the documents. A link will be provided on the site to download your free copy.

# SPECIAL EVENTS

## HOLIDAY EGG HUNT CS

Ages 2 - 10

Sat, Mar. 26

10:30 a.m. Line-up by Tennis Courts at Recreation Park

11:00 a.m. Hunt by age group

Fee: FREE, residents ONLY please

Carole D. Kirby Memorial

Egg Hunt is an annual event sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Rye Fire Department and the Rye Fire Department. All children ages 2 - 10 will be delighted by finding chocolate eggs scattered around

Recreation Park. The hunt will begin promptly at 11:00 a.m. Children should bring a basket or a bag to collect chocolate eggs.



## BREAKFAST WITH THE BUNNY

Ages 2 - 6

Sat, Mar. 26, 9:30 a.m. SHARP!

Program Site: Damiano Recreation Center

Fee: \$10/person resident; \$12/person non-resident

Enjoy a buffet breakfast with the Bunny at Rye Recreation. The Bunny will take a family picture with the children and each child will receive a present. This program is geared to children ages 2 - 6 years old. An adult must accompany all children. Enrollment is limited.



## MEMORIAL DAY SERVICE

Monday, May 30

10:00 a.m.

City Hall, Village Green

# VACATION TIME WITH RYE RECREATION

## SCIENSATIONAL WORKSHOP FOR KIDS

"Make it and Take it"

Grades 1 - 5

Thu & Fri, Apr. 21 & 22, 9:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Program Site: Damiano Recreation Center

Fee: \$140 resident; \$165 non-resident



This hands on, fun and exciting program will help you discover the amazing aspects of science. You will make and take home a wide assortment of toys. Each participant needs to bring a 100% white cotton T-shirt to class. Make your own bubbling blobs and explore the properties of a density tube, make silly putty, make a lava lamp, build a working electric motor and more!



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## ♡ SPRING SPORTS FESTIVAL CS

Grades K - 3

Mon - Fri, Apr. 18 - 22, 9:30 - 1:30 p.m.

Program Site: Midland School

Fee: \$180 resident; \$205 non-resident

Come out and enjoy a morning of fun playing soccer, basketball, whiffle ball and a host of elementary school games during this program. All participants should bring a lunch and drink each day.

## ♡ SPRING KICKS SOCCER CAMP

Grades 1 - 6

Mon - Fri, Apr. 18 - 22, 9:00 - 12:00 p.m.

Program site: Rye Recreation Park

Fee: \$150 resident; \$175 non-resident

Join Kieran McIlveny and staff as they teach the fundamentals of soccer. Experienced staff will challenge all levels of players through skills, drills, and game play. Bring a water bottle and a soccer ball. A special registration form is required.

CS - Community Service Opportunity

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# PRE-SCHOOL & KINDERGARTEN PROGRAMS

## ♡ SPORTS PLAY SR.

Ages 4 & 5

Fri, Apr. 1 - June 10

No session: 4/22

Session I: 10:50 - 11:30 a.m.

Session II: 1:20 - 2:00 p.m.

Program Site: Damiano Recreation Center

Fee: \$125 resident; \$150 non-resident



## ♡ SPORTS PLAY JR.

Ages 3 & 4

Fri, Apr. 1 - June 10

No session: 4/22

Session I: 10:00 - 10:40 a.m.

Session II: 12:30 - 1:10 p.m.

Program Site: Damiano Recreation Center

Fee: \$125 resident; \$150 non-resident



Staff will introduce cooperative games and sport skills during this 10-week class. Class size is limited to 14 students. Dress in comfortable clothes and be ready for FUN!

## ♡ MUSIC, MOVES & GROOVES

Age 18 - 36 months

Fri, Apr. 1 - June 10, 11:00 - 11:40 a.m.

No session: 4/22

Program Site: Damiano Recreation Center

Fee: \$110 resident; \$135 non-resident



Take your child on a magical journey of music and motion that will last a lifetime. The child's self-esteem and socialization skills become refined and a relationship with music begins. Parents and children will develop a special relationship with their child as they share this experience together.

## COMPUTERS KIDS

Ages 4 & 5 (Grade K welcome)

Thu, Mar. 24 - June 2, 12:30 - 1:00 p.m.

No session: 4/21

Program Site: Score, 25 Purchase Street

Fee: \$135 resident; \$160 non-resident



Rye Recreation has partnered with "Score" to provide a fun environment for learning during this 10-week program. At "Score" your child will build self-confidence through working with a personalized academic program in reading and math. Each session includes personal coaching, positive reinforcement, and a customized curriculum that adapts to your child's pace and learning needs.

## STICKY FINGERS

Ages 2 & 3

Wed Apr. 6 - June 1, 11:00 - 11:30 a.m.

No session: 4/20

Program Site: Damiano Recreation Center

Fee: \$80 residents; \$105 non-residents



This mommy and me class is for children ages 2 - 3. Come make fun art projects with Kathy Pasquale each week. They will get their fingers into glitter, glue and paint, but not on your kitchen floor. Parents are asked to stay during class time. Bring a smock.



## SUPER CRAFTS

Ages 3 & 4

Wed, Apr. 6 - June 1, 12:30 - 1:10 p.m.

No session: 4/20

Fee: \$100 residents; \$125 non-residents



Each week, children will create an exciting project using a new medium from ceramics and paint to glitter and glue. They will be so proud of themselves as they learn to mold clay, use scissors, and express themselves through color. Each week they will come home with their own personal masterpiece. The instructor is Kathy Pasquale. Parents are not required to stay. Bring a smock.

## ♡ HOOPSTART

Grades K & 1

Mon, Apr. 4 - June 13, 4:30 - 5:45 p.m.

No session: 4/18, 4/25, 5/30

Program site: Midland School

Fee: \$180 resident; \$205 non-resident



It's never too early to learn the fundamentals of basketball from the Hoop Start Staff. Every Hoop Start member will receive Official Hoop Start USA give-a-ways and a trophy.

## ♡ ULTIMATE GAMES

Grades K & 1

Tue, Apr. 5 - May 31, 4:30 - 5:45 p.m.

No session: 4/19

Program site: Midland School

Fee: \$180 resident; \$205 non-resident

NEW



The Ultimate in games will be played during this 8-week program. Experience the fun of Floor Hockey, Soccer, Golf, Flag Football, T-ball and more with the Intro-Sports Staff.



- Register On Line

# PRE-SCHOOL & KINDERGARTEN PROGRAMS

## ♥ TENNIS TOTS

Grade K

Thu, Apr. 28 - June 2

Session I: 12:30 - 1:00 p.m.

Session II: 1:00 - 1:30 p.m.

Session III: 1:30 - 2:00 p.m.

Site: Recreation Park Tennis Court #1

Fee: \$75 RESIDENTS ONLY

The goal of this program is to introduce children, currently in Kindergarten (September 2004), to the game and get them hooked on the feeling that tennis is fun and rewarding. Racquets will be provided. Class size is limited to 6 students per class.



## ♥ KINDER KICKERS

Grade K

Thu, Apr. 28 - June 2

Session I: 12:15 - 12:45 p.m.

Session II: 1:00 - 1:30 p.m.

Session III: 1:45 - 2:15 pm

Program Site: Recreation Park

Fee: \$75 resident; \$100 non-resident

Join Coach Adriano Torriani for this fun program designed for children currently in Kindergarten. Activities will include soccer skill work and "fun" soccer games. Class is limited to 20 children per class.



## ♥ K-BALL TE CS

Grade K

Tue, May 3 - June 7

Session I: 3:30 - 4:00 p.m.

Session II: 4:15 - 4:45 p.m.

Session III: 5:00 - 5:30 p.m.

Site: Gagliardo Park (off High Street)

Fee: \$60 resident; \$85 non-resident

Thu, May 5 - June 9

Session I: 1:15 - 1:45 p.m.

Session II: 2:00 - 2:30 p.m.

Site: Recreation Park

Fee: \$60 resident; \$85 non-resident

Co-educational T-Ball for boys and girls in grade K. Students will learn the basics of throwing, catching, fielding and hitting a soft baseball off a batting tee. All children need to bring their own glove. T-shirts will be given to all participants. Enrollment is limited to 12 students per class.

## ♥ SUNDAY BASEBALL CS

Grade K

Sun, May 1 - June 12, 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.

No session: 5/29

Site: Gagliardo Park (off High Street)

Fee: \$45 residents only



Students will learn the basics of throwing, catching, fielding and hitting a soft baseball off a batting tee. All children need to bring their own glove. Program is organized and run by parent-volunteers. T-shirts will be given to all participants. Enrollment is limited to 25 participants.

## RECREATION LEISURESHIP

**NO CHILD LEFT OUT BECAUSE OF FINANCIAL NEED**

The Rye Recreation Department maintains a scholarship fund to help Rye youth who do not have the financial means to participate in Recreation programs.

The scholarship program is made possible through donations from local organizations and individuals throughout Rye. To make a donation, please contact Sally Rogol at Rye Recreation (srogol@ryeny.gov). Make checks payable to City of Rye.

Individuals interested in applying for a scholarship should contact Sally Rogol at Rye Recreation (srogol@ryeny.gov). This program is offered to residents of the City of Rye and only for those programs offered by Rye Recreation Department.

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# YOUTH PROGRAMS

## 4TH GRADE ICE CREAM AND GAME NIGHTS

Session I: Fri, May 13, 7:30 - 8:45 p.m.  
 Session II: Fri, June 17, 7:30 - 8:45 p.m.  
 Site: Damiano Recreation Center  
 Fee: \$10 per person/per night

A night out just for kids in the 4th grade. Come enjoy some ice cream while playing bingo for some cool prizes, posters, baseball hats, CD's and more! Pre-registration is required, maximum 40 children per night.

## ♥ TAE KWON DO KARATE

Mon, on-going thru June, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.  
 Sat, on-going thru June, 12:00 - 1:30 p.m.  
 Grades 1 through adults  
 Fee: \$40 per month payable to instructor

Learn the art of self-defense through this non-contact Karate class for those in 1st grade and older, of all abilities. Karate teaches self-discipline, self-control, balance, focus, self-awareness and improves balance. Adults are welcomed. Master Rico Dos Anjos (5th Dan) and Assistant Instructor Russ Fulmore (4th Dan) teach this program. One may join at any time. Register at the class with the instructor.

## ♥ STREET BALL

Grades 5 & 6 - COED  
 Fri, May 6 - June 17, 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.  
 No Session 5/27  
 Fee: \$20 for season pass, \$5 drop-in

Join your friends for some pick-up basketball games. Teams will be chosen and games will be played at Recreation Park. Games will be officiated and supervised. Contact Matt Nordt for further information.

## ♥ NEXT GENERATION

Fri, Mar. - June, 7:30 - 9:30 p.m.  
 Grade 5: 3/18, 4/8, 4/29, 5/13, 6/3, 6/17  
 Grade 6: 4/1, 4/15, 5/6, 5/20, 6/10, 6/17  
 Site: Rye Middle School  
 Fee: \$120 resident, \$145 non-resident

Boys and girls in both grades 5 & 6 are invited to join this popular program on Friday evenings. Sports, games, music and more will be scheduled during the 6-week program. Due to overwhelming response, this program has been reformatted so that each grade meets every other week. Pick up a schedule of events at Rye Recreation.

## ♥ HOOPSTART

Grades K & 1  
 Mon, Apr. 4 - June 13, 4:30 - 5:45 p.m.  
 No session: 4/18, 4/25, and 5/30

Grades 2 & 3  
 Wed, Apr. 6 - June 1  
 No session: 4/20  
 Program site: Midland School  
 Fee: \$180 resident; \$205 non-resident

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## ♥ ULTIMATE GAMES

Grades K & 1  
 Tue, Apr. 5 - May 31, 4:30 - 5:45 p.m.  
 No session: 4/19

Grades 2 & 3  
 Thu, Apr. 7 - June 2, 4:30 - 5:45 p.m.  
 No session: 4/21  
 Program site: Midland School  
 Fee: \$180 resident; \$205 non-resident

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**Monisha Iyer, D.M.D., M.S.**

***Rye Family Orthodontics***

**105-107 Theodore Fremd Avenue  
 Rye, New York 10580**

**hours by appointment  
 (914) 967-7648**

 - Community Service Opportunity

 - Teen Employment Opportunity

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# YOUTH PROGRAMS

## ♥ ROOKIE PROSPECTS *TE CS*



Grade 1

Session I: Mon, May 2 - June 13, 45 minutes (\*see below)

Session II: Wed, May 4 - June 8, 45 minutes (\*see below)

No session: 5/30

Site: Gagliardo Park (off High Street)

Fee: \$75 resident; \$100 non-resident

Getting ready for the Big Leagues? Students will be placed on teams to compete in "fun" baseball games. The first 2 weeks of practices will be used for skills, drills and team placement. Each participant will receive a t-shirt. Each session is limited to 32 participants.



\*Those registered will receive a schedule that will indicate practice or game times at either 3:30 or 4:30 p.m.

## ♥ SUNDAY BASEBALL *CS*



Grade 1

Sun, May 1 - June 12, 11:30 - 12:30 p.m.

No session: 5/29

Site: Gagliardo Park (off High Street)

Fee: \$50 residents only

This program will be offered to Rye Residents only. Instruction in this program is run by parent Volunteers. Students will learn the basics of throwing, catching, fielding and hitting a soft baseball. All children need to bring their own gloves. T-shirts will be given to all participants. Enrollment is limited to 25 participants.

WANTED:

PARENT VOLUNTEERS FOR SUNDAY BASEBALL

Any parent interested in coaching should call

Matt Nordt at Rye Recreation (967-2535).



## PEPSI PITCH, HIT & RUN



Grades 2 - 6

Fri, Apr. 29, 3:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Program Site: Disbrow Park

Fee: \$10, residents only

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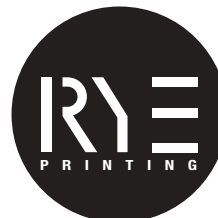
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# TEEN SCENE

## SKATEBOARD CLUB

**OPENING NIGHT  
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Apr. 29 - Aug. 11  
See hours below  
Site: Recreation Park Tennis Court  
Club Card: \$65 resident; \$90 non-resident  
Daily Pass: \$8 resident; \$10 non-resident



New Park Hours:  
School Days:  
Tue, 3:30 - 8:00 p.m.  
Fri, 6:30 - 9:00 p.m.

Summer Hours:  
Tue, 4:30 - 8:00 p.m.  
Thu, 4:30 - 8:00 p.m.

Join in on the FUN. Rye Recreation's Skate Park has elements that will challenge both the beginner and the advanced boarders. Waivers and safety equipment required for all. Park hours are subject to change.

VACATION WEEK SCHEDULE - look for information posted at school and Rye Recreation regarding special hours during school vacation.

The City Council has authorized that funds up to \$37,500 be made available as part of a Challenge Matching Grant to construct a Skateboard Park at Rye Recreation Park. The project that will include a fenced in area with enhanced equipment. Contact Joanne O'Malley at 921-0554 on how you can become involved in this exciting project.

## TEEN SURVEY

All teens in grades 6 thru 12 please assist the Rye Recreation Department by completing a short survey by going On-line at [www.ryeny.gov/recreation.htm](http://www.ryeny.gov/recreation.htm)

## LEARN GUITAR



Grades 6 - 10  
Wed, Apr. 6 - June 15  
No session: 4/20  
Session I: 5:30 - 6:30 p.m., Beginner  
Session II: 6:45 - 7:45 p.m., Advanced Beginner  
Program Site: Midland School Stage  
Fee: \$150 resident; \$175 non-resident

Always wanted to learn to play the Guitar!! This 10-week program will teach you all that you need to know to be successful and will have you playing your favorite songs in no time. Please bring a guitar, pick and a notebook. A \$10 book fee is payable to the instructor the first night of class.



**NEW**

Grades 9 - 12  
Sat, Mar. 12, 5:00 - 9:00 p.m.  
Sat, Apr. 9, 5:00 - 9:00 p.m.  
Program Site: Damiano Recreation Center  
Admission: \$5 per night

Come play this exciting and popular game on the big screen. Teams will be organized for tournament-style play. For information e-mail Matt Nordt at [mnordt@ryeny.gov](mailto:mnordt@ryeny.gov).

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After-School Sport Program Supervisors, Tennis Attendants, Park Maintenance Workers, Camp Counselors, Camp Directors and Camp Specialists (arts & crafts, music, drama, sports etc.).

For more information or an application call the Recreation Office at (914) 967-2535, e-mail us at [recreation@ryeny.gov](mailto:recreation@ryeny.gov) or visit us at Rye Recreation, 281 Midland Avenue, Rye, NY. 10580

# SUMMER CAMP PROGRAMS

*For an UNFORGETTABLE summer, join us at the Rye Recreation Day Camp, July 5 - August 12!*

Our experienced camp staff is ready to provide an active, fun and safe environment for your child. We have a diverse camp program that values individuality as well as community awareness, promotes positive self-esteem and exposes your child to a variety of skills, games and activities. Make new friends and participate in programs that include arts & crafts, sports, exciting field trips, special events, and more.

Rye Recreation, in cooperation with the Rye City School District, offers camp programs in the Rye City Schools. All camps are licensed by the Department of Health and adhere to all regulations set by the County and State Health Departments.

All campers provide their own snack, lunch and beverage daily.

## **Resident registration dates:**

Day Camp	Wed, Mar. 23, 6:30 p.m. Midland School
Kiddy Camp	Wed, Apr. 6, 6:30 p.m. Midland School
Club 7	Tue, May 3, 9:00 a.m. Rye Recreation

Camp registration is accepted on a first come, first served basis for residents only. **YOU MAY NOT REGISTER FOR SOMEONE ELSE.** All campers, new or old, require a copy of their immunization record at the time of registration. Space is limited for all special fee programs. Some restrictions apply.

Registration dates are for Residents ONLY. Non-residents can apply beginning May 3, as space permits. Please note that all registrations received after May 31, 2005 are subject to a \$240 late fee per application. Register early and save!

## ♡ **KIDDY CAMP**

This classroom based camp program is for those children of pre-school age (ages 3 - 5). Supervised by adult staff, daily activities include games, music, story time, dance, special events, crafts and more. Children are placed into groups based upon their date of birth. All children must be 3 by May 31, 2005 and toilet trained to be eligible. Those 5 year olds enrolled in Kindergarten must attend Rye Recreation Day Camp program.

6-WEEK Resident Fee: \$495  
Anticipated Site: Midland School  
Camp hours: 9:00 - 12:00 noon

## ♡ **DAY CAMP**

Children enrolled in Grades K - 6 can enjoy Rye Recreation's Camp Program. Children in grades K - 2 make up the "Lower Camp", those in Grades 3 - 6 are in "Upper Camp". See below for camp times and locations. Both camp programs offer a variety of sports and games as well as crafts and special events. Special fee programs are offered to campers that can include Swimming, Mad Science, Math Camp, Computers, Hoop Start, summer school bus transportation and extended care hours. Please contact Rye Recreation for current fees or visit [www.ryeny.gov/recreation.htm](http://www.ryeny.gov/recreation.htm) for more complete information, fees, restrictions and options.

### DAY CAMP RESIDENT FEES

#### **FULL DAY PROGRAM: (Grades K - 6)**

6 WEEKS \$570  
2 WEEKS \$405

#### **HALF-DAY PROGRAM: (Grades K - 2 only)**

6 WEEKS \$450  
2 WEEKS \$250

### DAY CAMP SITES & TIMES

#### **Lower Camp**

Grades K - 2      Anticipated Site: Rye Recreation  
Camp hours:      Half Day, 8:30 - 12:30 p.m.  
                         Full Day, 8:30 - 3:30 p.m.

#### **Upper Camp**

Grades 3 - 6      Anticipated Site: Rye High School  
Camp hours:      Full Day, 8:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Extended Care Hours (additional fees apply)

Early drop off begins at 8:00 a.m. at camp the site  
Late pick up until 5:30 p.m. at Rye Recreation

## ♡ **CLUB 7** *Grade 7 only*

Anticipated Site: Rye Middle School

This unique and innovative camp for teens entering grade 7 offers a fun summer of trips, community service projects, sports and games. Trips in 2004 included Tour of Madison Square Garden, Rock Climbing at Go Vertical, a day in New York City, as well as a trip to Lake Compounce. Program meets daily from 9:00 - 3:00 p.m. A minimum of 24 campers is required for this program to run.  
6-WEEK Resident fee: \$815

**Refund Policy:** Rye Recreation will refund registration fees paid less a \$75 processing fee per application for all day camp programs that are submitted in writing prior to the beginning of the camp. No refunds will be issued for any camp program once the camp has begun, except for documented medical reasons.



# SUMMER CAMP PROGRAMS

## ♥ SOCCER CAMP

Grades 1 - 6 as of September 2005

Session I: Mon - Fri, June 27 - Jul. 1, 9:00 - Noon

Session II: Mon - Fri, Aug. 15 - 19, 9:00 - Noon

Grade K as of September 2005

Session I: Tue - Thu, June 28 - 30, 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Session II: Tue - Thu, Aug. 16 - 18, 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Fees:

Grades 1 - 6 \$150 resident; \$175 non-resident

Grade K \$65 resident; \$90 non-resident

Join Kieran McIlveny and staff as they teach the fundamentals of soccer. Experienced staff will challenge all levels of players through skills, drills, and game play. Bring a water bottle and a soccer ball. A special registration form is required.



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## MAD SCIENCE CAMP

Robotics

Grades 2 - 5 as of September 2004

June 27 - July 1, 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Fee: \$185 resident; \$205 non-resident

NEW

Spend the day learning about and playing with robots. We'll discuss what makes robots different from humans and explore some of their awesome functions like locomotion and how robots interpret the world around them! Then put what you learned to practice as we learn about conductivity and assemble your very own robot that you get to keep! The Weasel has two sensors that allow it to "see" a line or "feel" its way along walls and around corners. Imagine the endless mazes that can be set up for Weasel to try to escape!

Model Rocketry

Grades K & 1 as of September 2004

Tue - Thu, June 28 - 30, 9:00 - Noon

Fee: \$120 resident; \$145 non-resident

NEW

Have a "blast" with the Mad Scientist as you discover the dynamics of rocket flight. Build your very own model rocket that can soar several hundred feet into the air, and then return to Earth by parachute! Learn how and why rockets fly, and then take part in a NASA-style launching of Mad Science model rockets. This class will "ignite" your excitement and imagination about rocketry! ALL CHILDREN WILL MAKE AND TAKE HOME THEIR VERY OWN MODEL ROCKET!

**Specialty & Sport Camp refund policy:** Rye Recreation will refund registration fees paid less a processing fee of \$35 per application for these camps. Refund request must be in writing and received before the camp program begins. No refunds will be issued once the program has begun, except for documented medical reasons.

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# TENNIS LESSONS

Fees: Youth.....\$110 resident; \$135 non-resident  
 Adult.....\$125 resident; \$150 non-resident  
 Active Adult (60 and over) ...\$60 resident; \$85 non-resident  
 Adult Intermediate.....\$150 resident; \$175 non-resident (\*1 1/2 hr class)  
 (high school students may enroll in Adult classes)



## SPRING SESSION

6 Week Spring Session: Mon, May 2 - June 13  
 Tue, May 3 - June 7  
 Wed, May 4 - June 8  
 Thu, May 5 - June 9

<u>Mon</u>	<u>Tues.</u>	<u>Wed.</u>	<u>Thurs.</u>
9:30 a.m. Adult Beginner II	Adult Beginner	Adult Beginner II	Adult Beginner
10:30 a.m. Adult Intermediate *	Adult Intermediate *	Adult Intermediate *	Adult Intermediate *
12:00 p.m. <b>Active Adult</b>	<b>Active Adult</b>	<b>Active Adult</b>	
3:15 p.m. Grades 1-2	Grades 1-2	Grades 1-2	Grades 1-2
4:15 p.m. Grades 3-4	Grades 3-4	Grades 3-4	Grades 3-4
5:15 p.m. Grades 7-8	Grades 5-6	Grades 5-6	Grades 5-6
6:15 p.m. Adult Beginner	Adult Beginner II	Adult Beginner	Adult Beginner II
7:15 p.m. Adult Intermediate *	Adult Intermediate *	Adult Intermediate *	Adult Intermediate *

Adult Skill levels: Adult Beginner = never played Adult Beginner II = basic skills

## SUMMER SESSION (6-WEEK FORMAT/6 LESSONS)

6 Week Summer Session: Mon, July 11 - August 15  
 Tue, July 12 - August 16  
 Wed, July 13 - August 17  
 Thu, July 14 - August 18


<u>Mon</u>	<u>Tues.</u>	<u>Wed.</u>	<u>Thurs.</u>
8:30 a.m.	<b>Active Adult</b>	<b>Active Adult</b>	
9:30 a.m. Adult Beginner II	Adult Beginner	Adult Beginner II	Adult Beginner
10:30 a.m. Adult Intermediate *	Adult Intermediate *	Adult Intermediate *	Adult Intermediate *
3:15 p.m. Grades 1-2	Grades 1-2	Grades 1-2	Grades 1-2
4:15 p.m. Grades 3-4	Grades 3-4	Grades 3-4	Grades 3-4
5:15 p.m. Grades 7-8	Grades 5-6	Grades 5-6	Grades 5-6
6:15 p.m. Adult Beginner II	Adult Beginner	Adult Beginner II	Adult Beginner
7:15 p.m. Adult Intermediate *	Adult Intermediate *	Adult Intermediate *	Adult Intermediate *

Adult Skill levels: Adult Beginner = never played Adult Beginner II = basic skills



**Private lessons are available to permit holders only**  
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permit fee.

Night play begins early May, and  
concludes mid-October, weather  
permitting, until 9:30 p.m.

 Disbrow Park - Oakland Beach Avenue,  
features:

4 All Weather Courts.

**Tennis Permits are Valid from  
April 1, 2005 to March 31, 2006.**

### **RYE WOMEN'S TENNIS TEAM**

Looking for some fun competitive tennis? Join the  
Rye Women's Tennis Team to play in the Westchester

Women's Tennis League. Matches  
will be played against other  
Westchester communities.  
Matches are played at home and  
away; participants will need to be  
available to travel. League  
runs from April until mid-  
June. Team members must  
have a current  
Rye Recreation tennis  
permit to participate and  
have a skill level of 3.5 - 4.0  
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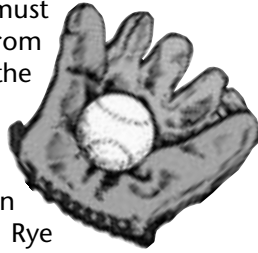


# ADULT SPORTS CENTER

## ♥ ADULT SOFTBALL LEAGUES

### Softball Registration Process

All teams (new and returning) must obtain registration information from either the managers meetings or the recreation office. Teams must then mail or drop off a completed roster (with proof of any new players) and payment to Rye Recreation Department, 281 Midland Avenue, Rye NY 10580.



### Organizational Meetings

Any team represented at the manager's meeting will receive a \$25 OFF of the league registration fee. Teams must have one team representative present for the entire meeting (one hour) to receive the discount coupon. Individuals must be the manager or a team player and may only represent one team. Meetings will discuss league format, rules changes, registration and important league dates.

### Men's Leagues

"A" League Monday/Wednesday evenings

"B" League Tuesday/Thursday evenings

\*Fridays and Sundays may be used for games

Opening Week: April 18

League Fee: \$850

League Fee Includes: Regular Season games, play-off games (top four teams from each league), administrative fees, softballs, umpires, field staff and awards for winning teams.

Game Location: Rye Recreation Park



### Women's League Meeting

Date: Tue, Mar. 22, 6:30 p.m.

Site: McDonald Building

### Women's League

Opening Week: May 23

League Fee: \$725

League Fee Includes: Regular Season games, single-elimination tournament, administrative fees, softballs, umpires, field staff and awards for winning teams.

Game Location: Various parks within the City of Rye



**Free Agent Lists:** We do not place individuals on teams. However, names that are listed on the Free Agent List are made available to teams who are short on players. Anyone interested in being placed on the list can call Kevin Cook at (914) 967-2535.

## ♥ MEN'S ALL WOOD BAT SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT

NEW

Sat & Sun, Apr. 2 & 3

Location: Rye Recreation Park

Team Fee: \$300, deadline March 29

Max. # teams: 8

Format: 1-pitch, double elimination

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# ADULT PROGRAMS

## ♥ HEALTH & FITNESS

### Day Classes (school days only)

Tuesday	9:15 a.m.	Powerflex Yoga
Wednesday	9:15 a.m.	Core Aerobics Training
Thursday	9:15 a.m.	Powerflex Yoga
Friday	8:45 a.m.	Core Aerobics Training

### Evening Classes (year round)

Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	Powerflex Yoga
Fees:	\$15 for a single class	
	8 week program fees:	\$145 for 24 classes; \$175 for unlimited classes

Janet Muller, a Certified Fitness Instructor and Personal Trainer, has been teaching classes at Rye Recreation since 1984. The classes are creative and enjoyable, encouraging everyone's participation no matter what fitness level. Morning classes meet when school is in session. Baby-sitting is available at weekday morning classes for \$3 per child. Call Janet Muller for additional information and for baby-sitting reservations at (203) 637-9446. Register with the instructor; all fees are payable to the instructor. Yoga mats available for sale.

## SCRAP BOOKING



Thu, Apr. 7 - May 19, 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.

No session: 4/21

Program Site: McDonald Building, Recreation Park

Fee: \$75 resident; \$100 non-resident

Material Fee: \$112 payable to the instructor

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All Senior Citizen programs offered are available to residents regardless of age. Participants register at the "non-member" rate.

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# RYE SENIORS

The Rye Senior Citizen program is open to all Rye residents aged 60 and over. Wednesday is the Senior meeting day with weekly meetings at 1:00 p.m. and activities until 3:00 p.m. Activities that day include: bridge, bingo, oil painting, bocce and billiards.

**Membership/Dues:** Membership is open to residents of the City of Rye that are 60 years of age or older. Dues are \$8 per person per year, paid in September. **Please make checks payable to "Rye Seniors".**

**Trips & Special Events:** All trips and special events require advance registration and payment. You may register at the Rye Recreation Department Monday through Friday from 9:00 - 5:00 p.m. or at the weekly meetings. The dates that registration will begin are posted on related flyers and announced at each of the membership meetings. Non-members may register for trips and special events after it has been opened to the membership. These dates are also indicated on the related flyers and announced at membership meetings.

## BUSINESS MEETING, ANNOUNCEMENTS & ACTIVITIES



**Keep up-to-date with senior issues, outings and events. Meet new and old friends alike by joining other seniors in a wide variety of activities. There is always a bridge game, rummikube, bingo and billiards. Refreshments served.**

**Wed. 1:00 p.m.**

## HORTICULTURE WORKSHOP

Fri, on going until Apr. 8, 12:30 - 2:00 p.m.

No session: 3/25

Fee: Drop-ins welcome \$5 (plus material fee).

Stop at registration for weekly project schedule.

Join us on Friday afternoons for plenty of planting activities and crafts. Join Valerie Barrett, horticulture specialist, and learn how to have a "green thumb". Fee will vary each week.

## ARTS & CRAFTS

Mon, Apr. 4 - June 20, 12:30 - 2:30 p.m.

No session: 4/18, 4/25, 5/30

Fee: \$8 members; \$25 non-members

Material fee: \$15 each session payable to the instructor



This is an informal class that teaches you how much fun it is to discover the natural and perhaps untapped artist within each of us. Projects span from wood to ceramics and everything in between. Instruction for each project is provided at all levels. Please contact the department if you are interested in transportation.

## MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION

Available Mondays between 10:30 - 2:00 p.m.

This is a drop off service only. Please call 967-2535 to book your ride. Fee: \$3

## MOVIES AND MUNCHIES

Tue, Mar. 29 - June 14, 12:00 - 3:00 p.m.

No session: 4/19

Fee: \$8 members and non-members



Make time for yourself and enjoy an afternoon of movies, munchies and friendly discussions. Join us in the Damiano Center. Each week will be an adventure! The program fee helps to underwrite the cost of the marvelous munchies.

## ♥ SENIOR WALKING

Spring:

Mon, April 4 - June 6, 8:30 - 10:00 a.m.

No session: 5/30

Summer:

Mon, June 13 - July 25, 8:30 - 10:00 a.m.

Fee: \$8 members; \$25 non-members



This program will help its members add walking for fitness into their lives. We request that you receive approval from your physician to participate in this program. Must have 5 participants to run class.

## ♥ SENIOR YOGA

Spring:

Mon, Apr. 11 - June 13, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

No session: 5/30

Fee: \$30 members; \$45 non-members

Summer:

Mon, June 20 - July 25, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

No session: 7/4

Fee: \$15 members; \$30 non-members



Yoga renews one's spirit. This class combines strength, flexibility, and balance while focusing on breathing and your body alignment. This program is an ideal way to deal with stress.



- Transportation



- Heart Healthy

# RYE SENIORS

## ♡ LINE DANCING

Spring:  
Wed, Mar. 23 - June 8, 10:30 - 12:00 p.m.  
No session 4/20  
Summer:  
Wed, June 15 - July 27, 10:30 - 12:00 pm  
Fee: \$8 members; \$25 non-members

Exercise your body, and mind with line dancing. Practice the basic components and learn some brand new steps too! People with all levels of ability are invited to kick up their heels while getting a great work out! Class will be divided into instruction, slower dances and faster, more involved dances. We request that you receive approval from your physician to participate in this program.



## PAINTING

Wed, Mar. 30 - June 8, 1:30 - 3:00 p.m.  
No session: 4/20  
Fee: \$20 members; \$35 non-members

Dabblers and Rembrandts welcome! If you are a beginner or an artist of experience, you will enjoy the instruction and friendship of this class. The instructor is Kathy Pasquale an accomplished artist and instructor. Please bring paint brushes.



## ♡ CHORAL GROUP, DON'T B FLAT, B SHARP!

Wed, Mar. 30 - June 8, 3:30 - 5:00 p.m.  
No session: 4/20  
Fee: FREE  
Program Site: Midland School Music Room

Come join in on the song and fun. The Rye Choir is directed by Noel Hart. Class meets in the Midland School Music Room.

## QUILTING

Thu, Mar. 31 - June 9, 12:30 - 2:30 p.m.  
Fee: \$8 members; \$25 non-members

Learn the art of Quilt making. Class members will work on individual projects in a sewing circle atmosphere. The instructor provides specific instruction and assistance, as needed, in addition to a general overview of the basics of quilting. Janet Brodie is the instructor.

## OPEN BRIDGE

Mon, Apr. 4 - June 13, 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.  
No session: 5/30  
Fee: \$8 members; \$25 non-members



A bridge program will be available to players of all levels, and ages. Friends are optional as there will be plenty already here. Join us for a wonderful afternoon and meet other players or bring a few of your own.

## ♡ SENIOR EXERCISE

Spring:  
Tue & Thu, Mar. 29 - June 9, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.  
No session: 3/31, 4/5  
Summer:  
Tue & Thu, June 14 - July 28, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.  
Fee: \$15 members; \$30 non-members

Class pace is brisk, but manageable. Class includes warm up stretching, aerobics, strength training and a cool down. Participants need to provide their own weights (2 or 3 lbs.). We request that you receive approval from your physician to participate in this program.

## MEN'S CLUB

Fri, Apr. 1 - June 9, 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.  
No session: 4/22  
Program Site: McDonald Building  
Fee: Free for senior members

This program is designed to offer the men in our group the opportunity to get together, play some games, enjoy each other's company and to discuss issues from a "male perspective". We will bring in local speakers to address the group on topics chosen by you. Come participate and share stories and some laughs.

## MAH JONGG

Spring:  
Thu, Mar. 31 - June 9, 11:30 - 1:30 p.m.  
No session: 4/21  
Summer:  
Thu, June 16 - July 28, 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.  
Fee: Free for members; \$10 for non-members

In a short time you can master the principles of this ancient game. Join us for an afternoon of dots, bams, and dragons. We have an open game program that welcomes all levels. Novice's welcome!!!



# RYE SENIORS

## AARP DEFENSIVE DRIVING

Thu, April 7, 9:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Thu, May 5, 9:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Thu, June 16, 9:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$10 member and non-member

Checks made payable to "AARP"

Select any one date above. Completion of this class will qualify you for a discount on your auto insurance. Please bring a pencil and a bag lunch. Maximum enrollment is 25.

## KNITTING NICHE

Whether you are a novice or a pro, join us Thursdays at noon. Come for fun, knitting tips and socializing, or learn from scratch by an experienced knitter.

Fee: Free for members, non-members drop-in fee \$2/class

No session: 4/21

## RYE SENIOR TAXI VOUCHER PROGRAM

Any Rye Senior who is a resident of Rye Manor or participates in the Enhanced Star of 467

property tax relief programs, is eligible to receive taxi vouchers. In addition,

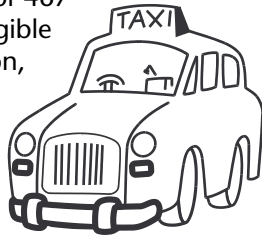
those seniors of 60 experiencing temporary financial or mobility hardship may be eligible for limited periods. Please call the

Rye Interfaith Housing

Corporation's Taxi Voucher

Committee for more information:

- **Marian Shea, (967-0280)**
- **Carolyn Cunningham (835-1988)**
- **Ed Collins (967-0053)**



## ♥ BOWLING

Bowling is scheduled for the second and fourth Mondays of the month, 12:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Fee: \$12 per week for members, includes shoes.

Transportation available. Call 967-2535 for more details.

Pre-registration required.

NEW



Mondays at 9:30 a.m.  
\$2 per trip, members

Please sign up weekly.

## UPCOMING EVENTS & TRIPS

April 14

Culinary Institute

May 24

Belmont Park

June 2

Thimble Island Cruise

## FRIDAY SHOPPING TRIPS WITH SOPHIE

Fee per trip: \$3 members; \$5 non-members



Fri, March 11	Palisades Mall
Fri, March 18	Arthur Avenue
Fri, March 25	No trip, Good Friday
Fri, April 1	Target in Mount Vernon
Fri, April 8	Arthur Avenue
Fri, April 15	Cheesecake Factory/Fortunoff's
Fri, April 22	Christmas Tree Shop
Fri, April 29	Bloomindales/Birdcage Restaurant
Fri, May 6	Danbury Mall
Fri, May 13	Arthur Avenue
Fri, May 20	City Island
Fri, May 27	No trip, Memorial Day Weekend
Fri, June 3	IKEA Paramus
Fri, June 10	South Street Seaport, NYC
Fri, June 17	Walmart/Home Goods - Norwalk
Fri, June 24	Brown Bag Picnic at Pepsico
No trips in July	

All trips limited to 12 participants.

## RYE TRAVELERS

Call Eleanor Krupi for details 967-4369

May 2

San Antonio Getaway

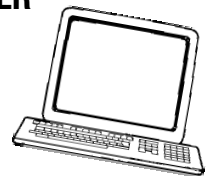
Nov 4

Hawaiian Islands Cruise

## INTERNET BASICS FOR SENIORS AND GETTING TO KNOW YOUR COMPUTER

Spring Classes to be announced.

Call 967-2535 after March 1 for details.



## ASK THE NURSE



This program is sponsored by the Visiting Nurses Association and takes place the second Wednesday of each month between 12:30 - 2:00 p.m. Come with your questions or just have your blood pressure taken.

# SKATE PARK APPLICATION

Participants Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ (current grade)

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Company & Card #: \_\_\_\_\_

The undersign, a participant in the Skate Park program offered by the Rye Recreation Department, agrees to the following:

- I acknowledge that in-line skating and skateboarding require strenuous physical activity and endurance. I also understand the risks and dangers associated with participation in these activities, which include, but are not limited to, falls, muscle strains, cuts, bruises and broken bones. The risk of injury from these activities is significant, including the potential for permanent paralysis and death, and while the particular rules, equipment and personal discipline may reduce this risk; the risk of serious injury does exist.
- I certify that I, to the best of my knowledge have no physical, mental or emotional condition which might be aggravated by this activity, that might in any way, inconvenience or endanger staff or participants, or that might impair my ability to participate in in-line and skateboarding activities.
- I will obey all rules, regulations and directives put forth by the Rye Recreation Department and the person in charge, and will assist by informing and/or calling to the attention of the person in charge, any situation which might result in injury.
- I acknowledge the rigors connected with in-line skating and skateboarding, and in consideration for being accepted as a participant in this program, I hereby accept ALL responsibility for taking care of myself while participating in this program. I agree that Rye Recreation, the City of Rye, their agents, employees and volunteers will not be liable for any damages or injuries directly or approximately caused by any act, happening or event.
- I understand that the City of Rye does not provide medical coverage for participants in any programs and that my child or I participate at our own risk.

Signature of Participant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

For participants under the age of 18:

I (we) the parents/legal guardian of \_\_\_\_\_ have read, understand and agree to the above statements and hereby consent to him/her participating in the designated program. I have signed this document signifying my agreement and consent.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



# SUMMER CAMP APPLICATION

First Name	Last Name	Email Address

Address

City	State	Zip

Home Phone	Sex	Date of Birth

**Grade in Fall 2005	School in Fall 2005	Rye Golf Pool Member

Mother's Name	Mother's Work Phone	Mother's Cell Phone

Father's Name	Father's Work Phone	Father's Cell Phone

Allergies, medication required during the camp day or camper's special needs

**Immunization records as required by the Department of Health - please list exact date (1/1/00)  
DO NOT attach records - Complete boxes below**

DPT - 1	DPT - 2	DPT - 3	DPT - 4	Hib
OPV - 1	OPV - 2	OPV - 3	Varicella/Chicken Pox	
Hep B - 1	Hep B - 2	Hep B - 3	MMR - 1	MMR - 2

**Children in Grade K or older are REQUIRED  
to have 2 vaccines for Measles**

Emergency Name (other than parent)	Emergency Phone
Doctor's Name	Doctor's Phone
Insurance Company	Insurance Policy Number

In the event I cannot be reached in an emergency situation, I hereby give my permission to the camp director/camp health officer to secure proper treatment for my child named above. I understand that the camp will try to contact the parents first at the numbers listed above. I understand that the City of Rye DOES NOT carry accident or medical coverage for participants. I hereby give permission for my child, registered above, to attend the Rye Recreation camp program. I hereby release the City of Rye and its employees and volunteers from any and all liability for personal injuries and/or property damage sustained by my child or I sustain in a Rye Recreation camp program.

Signature	Date



## Rye Rec eNews!

Get the latest Rye Rec news immediately and electronically.

To take advantage of this service, please log onto the Rye Recreation's website: [www.ryeny.gov/recreation.htm](http://www.ryeny.gov/recreation.htm), click on the eNews icon and complete the information requested. If you ever wish to discontinue service, please fill in your email address and click "UNSUBSCRIBE".

NOTE: You will need Adobe Acrobat Reader installed on your computer to view many of the documents. A link will be provided on the site to download your free copy.

## GENERAL REGISTRATION INFORMATION

### When do I sign up?

Registration for both on-line and walk-ins start the same day. No phone registrations accepted. ***Mail-in or Walk-in registrations received prior to the registration date will be accepted and put aside for processing at the end of the first day of registration. Please note that this could result in a particular program being filled prior to your application being processed.***

### Am I Registered?

If you sign up for a class or program and don't hear from us, show up! **No confirmations will be sent.** You will only be notified if space is no longer available when your registration is processed. Only receipt of payment reserves a spot in a program. No holds accepted.

### Payment:

All registration fees are payable at the time of registration. Payment can be by cash, check or credit card (MasterCard, Visa, Discover, or American Express). Please make checks payable to the "City of Rye". Financial assistance may be available to qualified applicants.

### Non-resident fees:

There is an additional fee for all non-residents as indicated by the program.

### Cancellations:

Rye Recreation reserves the right to cancel any classes that do not meet the minimum enrollment conditions. Cancellations may occur due to bad weather or other emergency conditions. **Call Rye Recreation hot line number 390-1379**, mail box #1 one hour prior to a program for the latest program cancellation and information.

**PLEASE NOTE: IF PUBLIC SCHOOLS ARE CLOSED, RYE RECREATION PROGRAMS HELD IN SCHOOL FACILITIES WILL ALSO BE CANCELED. CHECK WITH THE DEPARTMENT FOR ALL OTHER PROGRAM CANCELLATIONS.**

### Satisfaction Guaranteed:

Rye Recreation strives to provide the best possible recreational programs and to ensure customer satisfaction. If you are not completely satisfied with a program, facility or instructor after your first class meeting, contact Rye Recreation prior to the next program meeting days so we can address those concerns. If necessary, we will refund your money in full. All requests for refunds must be in writing prior to the second class meeting.

### Non-Discrimination Policy:

Rye Recreation Department does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, creed or religion, sex or sexual orientation.

### Insurance:

All participants are required to sign a hold/harmless form prior to participating in any registered program. Parent or guardian signature is required for all participants under 18 years of age. The City of Rye **DOES NOT** carry accident or medical coverage for participants. Costs incurred are the responsibility of one's personal insurance company.

# REGISTRATION FORM

## Follow these 4 easy steps to register!

- Step 1 Complete the registration form below. Be sure to include the activity, day, date & time that you are registering. Be sure to include work, home and cell phone numbers where you can be reached if necessary.
- Step 2 Write a check or money order payable to the "City of Rye". If paying by credit card, please make sure all the credit card information is filled out completely including date of expiration.
- Step 3 Mail or stop in with the registration form completed. Rye Recreation is located at 281 Midland Avenue, Rye, NY 10580. Office hours are Monday through Friday, 9:00 - 5:00 p.m.
- Mail in or Walk in registrations received prior to the registration date will be accepted and put aside for processing at the end of the first day of registration. Please note that this could result in a particular program being filled prior to your application being processed.***
- Step 4 On-line registrations NOW being accepted for many programs!! Log onto [www.ryeny.gov/recreation.htm](http://www.ryeny.gov/recreation.htm). There will be a link to programs available for on-line registrations. There is a nominal fee charged for this service. Registering on-line gives you immediate confirmation of class enrollment.



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**Please Print**

First Name

Last Name

Address

City

State

Zip

Phone: Home

Work

Cell

Email

Participants Name	Birth Date	Sex	Grade	Program Name, Day, and Time	Fee
<b>All fees are subject to change</b>				Total class fee	
*Voluntary contribution - an opportunity for participants to contribute directly to the overall efforts of Rye Recreation.				*Voluntary contribution	
				Total amount paid	

As a participant in the above program, I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks of injuries, damages or loss which I or my child may sustain as a result of such participation. I further understand that the City of Rye **DOES NOT** provide medical coverage and it is my responsibility to provide appropriate coverage. I agree to waive and relinquish all claims and hold harmless the City of Rye, Recreation Department, its officers, agents and employees from any and all claims.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

## Method of Payment

- ☐ Make Check Payable to "City of Rye"
- ☐ Charge my Credit Card (circle one) ➔ MasterCard    Visa    Discover    AMEX

Credit Card number

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Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_  
Month / Year

**PRINT** Card Holder Name \_\_\_\_\_

Card Holder Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**RYE RECREATION'S**  
**Annual Free Outdoor Concert**

Sunday, June 26, 2005 at 7:00 pm

**VILLAGE GREEN**

RAIN LOCATION:  
RYE COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

**THE**  
**WESTCHESTER**  
**POPS BAND**

Conductor Joseph Greco



Informal Seating • Car pooling recommended • Information available, 914 967-2535

**Rye Recreation**

281 Midland Avenue  
Rye, New York 10580

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**Rye, New York 10580**



**DOG OWNERS**

Rye Recreation requests that all dog owners pick-up after their dogs and be aware of the City of Rye's Leash Ordinance. Dogs are not permitted on playing fields or play areas at any time.

**E-Mail:** [recreation@ryeny.gov](mailto:recreation@ryeny.gov)

**Website:** <http://www.ryeny.gov>

**Phone:** 914•967•2535

**Fax:** 914•967•5521

**Hot line program information  
& cancellation:** 390•1379